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## **Noise Advisory for C-17 aircraft on Wheeler Army Airfield**

**SCHOFIELD BARRACKS, Hawaii** – Residents on Wheeler Army Airfield and the surrounding community can expect an increase in noise March 8 between 8 a.m. and 1 p.m, due to the scheduled landing of an Air Force C-17 Globemaster III, here.

The C-17 is landing on Wheeler to support rapid deployment preparedness for units in the 25th Combat Aviation Brigade. Soldiers will train on the unique procedures of folding and loading UH-60 Black Hawk helicopters into the cargo aircraft.

The training is contingent on weather that could impact visibility or safe runway conditions.

The Army in Hawaii appreciates the community's understanding and continued support of local Soldiers and their families. While sometimes loud, the sounds of training represent how the Army ensures our nation's Soldiers are ready to accomplish their mission and return home safely.

To report concerns related to noise or training, please call the U.S. Army Garrison-Hawaii (USAG-HI) Noise Concern Line at 656-3487. The USAG-HI Public Affairs Office will contact you about your concern during regular business hours, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m.- 4 p.m.